

## In the Wake of the Mill Engineers' Convention



The first annual convention of sugar mill engineers, held in Honolulu this week, brought together experts in sugar-making from all parts of the territory. The sessions closed with a banquet at the Commercial Club, the diners being shown in the photograph above. Insets of the new officers are as follows: Up per right-hand corner, W. McCubbin, representing island of Maui; Irwin Spaulding, secretary, Lower left-hand corner, W. G. Hall, treasurer, and R. R. Hind, chairman. Banquet picture Kodagraph print; portraits by Perkins.

## HAWAII AGAIN TO BE SHOWN IN 'MOVIES'

Hawaii's scope of publicity through the medium of motion pictures is constantly on the increase, and according to a communication read at the meeting of the Promotion Committee yesterday afternoon, a film company of Los Angeles is making preparations to send a company of "movie" players to Honolulu at an early date to secure a series of pictures depicting Hawaii, past and present. The members of the committee expressed themselves as being heartily in favor of the proposition and will co-operate with the company in securing proper scenic material.

Secretary Wood's report to the committee showed that during the week 5000 1914 Floral Parade posters, each enclosed in a cardboard tube, have been shipped to as many points throughout the world, and also that 2,000 mailing cards have been forwarded. The entire staff is now busy in preparing the remainder of the posters and cards for mailing. It has been learned that a large delegation of Portland, Ore., is intended coming to Honolulu during the Carnival, and the committee appointed Edward Dekum as chairman of a committee to provide a program of entertainment for the lodge members. The committee also voted to send a number of colored slides to Brigadier Wood of the Salvation Army, for use in lectures throughout the east. A communication was received from J. J. Byrne, general passenger traffic manager of the Santa Fe, in which he set forth the impressions he received during a recent trip to the islands. The letter was a big boost and paid a high tribute to the work of the Promotion Committee. Carl Alisky, who is at the head of a company of Hawaiian troubadours now touring the mainland, informed the committee that he is closing a successful season and that he intends going to work on a spectacular affair for the 1915 exposition, which will depict the volcano of Kilauea in eruption.

Ed Towne was authorized by the committee to take up with the Hui Nahu and Outrigger clubs the matter of placing signs along the beach to inform tourists where it is not safe to bathe on account of the coral. It was reported that, through Fred C. Smith, the different trails in the mountains on Oahu are to be fitted with proper signs. C. G. Bockus offered to keep in touch with all mainland golfing clubs and publications in order that the events which take place in Hawaii from time to time may be brought before the public to a greater extent. Secretary Wood left for the mainland this morning, and during his absence Sidney R. Jordan will be in charge of the Promotion Committee office.

Don't stint the living in order to strew flowers on the graves of the dead.

## REDS MAY DRIVE BLUE FORCES TO CITY TOMORROW

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his power to make the stay at Ewa pleasant for all concerned. The regiment was camped Thursday and Friday nights on the baseball diamond and recreation grounds of the plantation, and while this was rather crowded quarters for seven troops and the machine gun platoon, the location was so convenient to good water, both for the stock and for cooking and drinking purposes, that it met all requirements of the command. Manager Renton personally called on Colonel Beach a few minutes after the arrival of the 4th, to extend the hospitality of the plantation. The officers were invited to make use of the Ewa Social Club, and the reading room, and more especially the bathing facilities of that institution, were much appreciated.

The general fitness of the American soldier to look after his own comfort with the minimum of equipment was shown Thursday evening, when a terrific downpour transformed the camp into a wallow of sticky blue mud. It was impossible to walk three steps without accumulating several pounds of this gumbo on each foot, and the troopers, sleeping on the bare ground under "pup" tents, were distinctly up against it. However, instead of rustling around in an effort to find straw or something else to cover the wallow, a number of men hit on the bright idea of digging a few inches below the surface, where they found dry earth to throw on top of the mud. Others with less initiative quickly followed suit, and the result was a fairly dry sleeping place for all. The only component parts of the regiment which thoroughly enjoyed the sticky mud were the horses. Almost all of them lay down on the picket line and wallowed in the gumbo until they were plastered with it from head to tail. This necessitated a bath all around and a lot of grooming, but the wise old troop horses seemed to like the whole proceeding and carried a sort of we-should-worry expression after the experience.

Officers of the regiment are much interested in the plan of Colonel Beach to establish a school of equitation for officers, soon after the Fourth returns to Schofield, and after the expert rifleman test is completed. It is planned to put the officers through a course modeled on that of the Mounted Service school at Fort Riley, although necessarily much more limited in scope. An appropriation sufficient to construct the schooling ring, military steeplechase course, etc., has already been secured, and work on these will be commenced directly after the present maneuver campaign closes. Capt. Short, one of the very best horsemen in the United States army, and a recent instructor at Riley, will be in charge of the school, with Captain McCaskey as assistant. The latter is a graduate of the French cavalry school at Saumur and is also a finished horseman.

Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock there was an inspection of the command under arms, the 11 troops and "jackass battery" being inspected first by the troop commanders and then by Colonel Beach, accompanied by Major De Witt, medical corps. The regiment was found to be in splendid

## WAR SECRETARY THANKS DONORS OF POST CHAPEL

In a letter written under orders from the secretary of war by the adjutant general and addressed to Maj. A. A. Pruden, chaplain U. S. A., through the department of Hawaii, acceptance is made and thanks offered to the citizens of Hawaii for the splendid manner in which they contributed for the erection of a chapel at Schofield Barracks. The letter follows:

"Referring to your letter of March 2 presenting to the war department in the name of the generous citizens of Honolulu and all other contributors to the fund for the erection of the new post chapel on the military reservation of Schofield Barracks, H. T., the completed chapel, power house, electric light plant and all furniture and equipment contained therein or appurtenant thereto, for use for religious purposes by the chaplains of all denominations who are or may hereafter be stationed at Schofield Barracks, I am hereby instructed by the secretary of war to advise you that the chapel appurtenant structure, and equipment, as specified above, are hereby accepted for and on behalf of the U. S. and for the uses for which tendered by donors.

"In this connection the secretary of war desires to thank the generous citizens of Honolulu and all other contributors to the fund for the provision made by them towards the welfare of the garrison at this post."

shape, very few men being on sick report. One trooper, who sprained his knee in dismounting during the first day's march from Schofield, and who was sent to the Shafter hospital for treatment, has sustained the most serious casualty of the "war" to date among the Blues. The stock was inspected by Dr. Mason, veterinarian, and found to be in fine condition.

The provisional squadron of dismounted cavalry under command of Lieutenant-Colonel McDonald, will travel by train from Schofield barracks to Honolulu, probably on Sunday. They will then form part of the Blue army. These are the men for whom no horses are available and in all they number nearly 300. The artillery is also expected to take a hand in the big doings next week.

"What next?" is the question that both officers and men are asking, and no one is in a position to answer. It is generally known that the cavalry will play an important part in the war game and that some strenuous campaigning can be expected, but no one knows just what will happen, or what form the maneuvers will take.

## ARMY NOTES

Brigadier-General Funston, accompanied by Major Arthur S. Conklin and Lieutenant William G. Ball made a trip around the island, yesterday, visiting the First Hawaiian Brigade, now on the march in the series of maneuvers.

The War Department does not contemplate holding examinations in the mobile army for promotion in the cavalry, field artillery and infantry in the near future for the reason that the examinations that have been held during the current calendar year have included all captains and lieutenants in those arms whose promotion may

## JUDGE COOPER QUILTS; BUSINESS TOO PRESSING

News Not Unexpected by Relatives and Friends of Jurist in This City

Advices from Washington, corroborated by members of his family state that Circuit Judge Henry E. Cooper has tendered his resignation from the territorial circuit bench and that it has been accepted by the Department of Justice. Though he had received no direct word to that effect Alfred D. Cooper, son of Judge Cooper, said this morning he had no reason to doubt the authenticity of the news. "He made no mention of his intention in our conversations previous to his departure a few weeks ago for the mainland," said A. D. Cooper, "and I do not think he had reached a definite determination on the point prior to sailing from Honolulu. I have no knowledge of this, however, I do not know his reasons for the move."

Judge Cooper is in Washington at the present time to attend the supreme council of Scottish Rite chiefs of the Masonic brotherhood. He said



Consult Judge Henry E. Cooper who has resigned from bench to give time to his personal business.

before leaving home that he also intended visiting several college men with a view to selecting a new president for Oahu College.

Though the news of his resignation from the bench comes as a surprise to his relatives and friends, they admit it is hardly unexpected, as it has been known for some time that the routine of judicial duties had become onerous and conflicted seriously with his private business affairs. It is generally conceded that since his coming to the islands many years ago Judge Cooper has been remarkably successful in commercial ventures, building up a fortune now estimated at nearly \$250,000. His income as judge was only \$4000 a year, a sum hardly proportionate to the time demanded, which could be employed to advantage in commercial enterprises of such magnitude as those in which he is known to be engaged.

Following his resignation, the belief is strengthened here that Judge Cooper contemplates negotiations for the sale or disposition of the Palmyra islands, of which he obtained complete possession some months ago.

## SIX INDICTED BY TERRITORIAL JURY

The territorial grand jury returned six indictments yesterday afternoon, all for minor offenses. William Larsen, Jr., is indicted for first degree burglary for his share in the robbery of the van Hamm-Young warehouse, for which three other young men were recently sentenced by Judge Robinson. He was given until next Saturday to plead. Yee Jan Fan, a Chinese, faces three indictments for embezzlement. He pleaded not guilty to all and \$1000 bail was set for the first, his personal recognizance being taken for the other two. A. Marcalino faces two indictments for passing forged checks. He was granted reservation of plea until next Saturday, being released on \$1000 bail, furnished by his brother.

be expected in the ordinary course, during the year 1914.—Army and Navy Journal.

The above information will prove of interest to a number of officers located on Oahu, but will not prove pleasing to those who had contemplated taking examinations around the first of next year.

Paul R. Lindner has been arrested in New York for forgery in a real estate transaction in Berlin involving \$1,000,000.

The explosion of the Gamboa dikes was echoed by the entire Pacific coast with guns, whistles and cheering.

## HILO NOTES

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] HILO, Hawaii, Oct. 24.—Special Agent J. W. Roberts of the national treasury department, who was in Hilo from Thursday of last week until Monday of this, will recommend the use of ohia timber in the Hilo federal building, although he intends to make an unfavorable report upon the use of volcanic stone as a facing for the structure. This much he made public during a conversation preceding his departure for Honolulu.

Louis Neves and Miss Isabella Motina, well known in Hilo, were united in marriage last Saturday evening at the Catholic Church by Rev. Fr. Aloysius, about thirty of the friends of the contracting couple being present. Following the wedding ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride attended by nearly sixty people. After spending a short honeymoon, the newly-weds have returned to Hilo and will make their home in a cottage on Waiuanue street.

Dell O. Rodgers, the typewriter man, formerly of Philadelphia, who has spent the summer in Hilo, returned last Friday from a round-the-island hike, during which he walked 330 miles in making the circuit of the island and an additional 35 miles in exploring and hunting in the vicinity of the Volcano House. Rodgers will leave for Maui, today, where he also intends to make a hike around the Valley Island.

Sending of officers of high rank to the annual sharpshooting contest of the national guard is considered a mistake by Harry Morehead, who was Hilo's only representative at the shoot this year at Camp Perry, Ohio. He thinks that any militia man above the rank of captain should be barred, because he argues that higher officers have nothing to do in directing the firing of the men.

## POPULAR THEATER

That people like a little history once in a while was proven by the number of folks who were present last evening for the screening of the two-reel feature, "Romance of the Utah Pioneers." They watched in rapt attention while scene after scene of true Western life of the early days appeared on the white curtain. The picture includes Indian fighting, of course—but more than the interest in this one phase was the interest in the struggles of the pioneers to win to their destination despite opposition of other sorts. The film shows again tonight.

Since 11:30 this morning many of the younger generation have had a chance to see some fine pictures here—as today is Students' Day, when the price of admission is lowered to only

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